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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of November 16, 2006, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on February 16, 2007, please amend the above-captioned application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.